# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYERS' CONCUSSION INJURY LITIGATION MDL No. 2323

This relates to:

Plaintiffs' Master Administrative Long-Form Complaint and (if applicable) Alex Karras, et al. v. NFL, USDC, EDPA, No. 12-cv-1916

**GAIL A. CLARK** 

SHORT FORM COMPLAINT

IN RE: NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYERS' CONCUSSION INJURY LITIGATION

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

## **SHORT FORM COMPLAINT**

- 1. Plaintiff, **GAIL A. CLARK**, brings this civil action as a related action in the matter entitled IN RE: NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYERS' CONCUSSION INJURY LITIGATION, MDL No. 2323.
- 2. Plaintiff is filing this short form complaint as required by this Court's Case Management Order No. 2, filed April 26, 2012.
- 3. Plaintiff, incorporates by reference the allegations (as designated below) of the Master Administrative Long-Form Complaint, as may be amended, as if fully set forth at length in this Short Form Complaint.
  - 4. NOT APPLICABLE

5. Plaintiff, **GAIL A. CLARK**, is a resident and citizen of Bellefontaine, Ohio and claims damages as set forth below.

#### 6. NOT APPLICABLE

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- 7. On information and belief, the Plaintiff sustained repetitive, traumatic subconcussive and/or concussive head impacts during NFL games and/or practices. On information and belief, Plaintiff suffers from symptoms of brain injury caused by the repetitive, traumatic sub-concussive and/or concussive head impacts the Plaintiff sustained during NFL games and/or practices. On information and belief, the Plaintiff's symptoms arise from injuries that are latent and have developed and continue to develop over time.
- 8. The original complaint by Plaintiff(s) in this matter was filed in United States

  District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

Plaintiff claims damages as a result of [check all that apply]:			
<u>X</u>	Injury to Herself/Himself		
<u>X</u>	Injury to the Person Represented		
_	Wrongful Death		
	Survivorship Action		
<u>X</u>	Economic Loss		
	Loss of Services		
	Loss of Consortium		

10.	NOT APPLICABLE			
11.	<u>X</u>	X Plaintiff, reserves the right to object to federal jurisdiction.		
		<b>DEFENDANTS</b>		
12. Plaintiff brings this case against		tiff brings this case against the following Defendants in this action [check al		
		that apply]:		
	<u>X</u>	National Football League		
	X	NFL Properties, LLC		
		Riddell, Inc.		
		All American Sports, Inc. (d/b/a Riddell Sports Group, Inc.)		
		Riddell Sports Group, Inc.		
		Easton-Bell Sports, Inc.		
	<del></del>	Easton-Bell Sports, LLC		
		EB Sports Corporation		
		RBG Holdings Corporation		
13.	NOT APPLICABLE			
14.	NOT	NOT APPLICABLE		

15.	Plaintiff played in X the National Football League ("NFL") and/or in the
	American Football League ("AFL") during 1973-75 for the following
	teams:
	Pittsburgh Steelers Chicago Bears New England Patriots

# **CAUSES OF ACTION**

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16.	Plaint	laintiff herein adopts by reference the following Counts of the Master				
		Administrative Long-Form Complaint, along with the factual allegations				
		incorporated by reference in those Counts [check all that apply]:				
	<u>X</u>	Count I (Action for Declaratory Relief - Liability (Against the NFL))				
	<u>X</u>	Count II (Medical Monitoring (Against the NFL))				
		Count III (Wrongful Death and Survival Actions (Against the NFL))				
	<u>X</u>	Count IV (Fraudulent Concealment (Against the NFL))				
	<u>X</u>	Count V (Fraud (Against the NFL))				
	<u>X</u>	Count VI (Negligent Misrepresentation (Against the NFL))				
	<u>X</u>	Count VII (Negligence Pre-1968 (Against the NFL))				
	<u>X</u>	Count VIII (Negligence Post-1968 (Against the NFL))				
	<u>X</u>	Count IX (Negligence 1987-1993 (Against the NFL))				

	_X_	Count X (Negligence Post-1994 (Against the NFL))
	<u>X</u>	Count XI (Loss of Consortium (Against the NFL))
	<u>X</u>	Count XII (Negligent Hiring (Against the NFL))
	<u>X</u>	Count XIII (Negligent Retention (Against the NFL))
		Count XIV (Strict Liability for Design Defect (Against the Riddell Defendants))
	_	Count XV (Strict Liability for Manufacturing Defect (Against the Riddell Defendants))
		Count XVI (Failure to Warn (Against the Riddell Defendants))
	_	Count XVII (Negligence (Against the Riddell Defendants))
	<u>X</u>	Count XVIII (Civil Conspiracy/Fraudulent Concealment (Against All Defendants))
17.	Plaint	iff asserts the following additional causes of action [write in or attach]:
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# PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, prays for judgment as follows:

- A. An award of compensatory damages, the amount of which will be determined at trial;
- B. For punitive and exemplary damages as applicable;
- C. For all applicable statutory damages of the state whose laws will govern this action;
- D. For medical monitoring, whether denominated as damages or in the form of equitable relief;
- E. For an award of attorneys' fees and costs;
- F. An award of prejudgment interest and costs of suit; and
- G. An award of such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

### **JURY DEMANDED**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 38, Plaintiff(s) hereby demand(s) a trial by jury.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

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